

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

<b>DWIGHT W. DECKER,</b>	:	<b>CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:17-cv-945</b>
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<b>Plaintiff</b>	:	<b>(Chief Judge Conner)</b>
	:	
<b>v.</b>	:	
	:	
<b>NANCY A. BERRYHILL,<sup>1</sup></b>	:	
	:	
<b>Defendant</b>	:	

**ORDER**

AND NOW, this 27th day of September, 2018, upon consideration of the Stipulation (Doc. 24), it is hereby ORDERED that Plaintiff, Dwight W. Decker, is awarded Four Thousand Five Hundred dollars and Zero cents (\$4,500.00) in attorney fees under the EAJA. The attorney fees will be paid directly to Plaintiff and sent to the business address of Plaintiff's counsel, Lindsey E. Ringquist. Full or partial remittance of the awarded attorney fees will be contingent upon a determination by the Government that Plaintiff owes no qualifying, pre-existing debt(s) to the Government. If such a debt(s) exists, the Government will reduce the awarded attorney fees in this Order to the extent necessary to satisfy such debt(s).

/S/ CHRISTOPHER C. CONNER  
Christopher C. Conner, Chief Judge  
United States District Court  
Middle District of Pennsylvania

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<sup>1</sup> Due to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act, 5 U.S.C. § 3345 *et seq.*, former acting Commissioner of Social Security Nancy A. Berryhill is currently presiding as the Deputy Commissioner for Operations of the Social Security Administration. For consistency purposes, however, we continue to refer to Ms. Berryhill as "the Commissioner."